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Inventor:

Efstathiou et al.

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Frozen Concentrated Liquid Whole Egg and

Method of Making Same

Art Unit:

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REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. \$1.48(c)

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Request is to correct inventorship of the above-captioned application under 37 C.F.R. \$1.48(c). More specifically, Applicants hereby request that Laura Huston be added to the application as an inventor.

As filed, the application named John D. Efstathiou as the sole inventor. Subsequent amendments to the claims necessitate adding Laura Huston as an inventor. The omission of Laura Huston occurred without deceptive intent, and a statement to this effect from Laura Huston is attached hereto. Thus, Applicants hereby request, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. \$1.48(c), correction of the inventorship for this application to names of John D. Efstathiou and Laura Huston as joint inventors.

Application No. 10/684,074 Request to Correct Inventorship

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge one hundred-thirty dollars (\$130.00) to Deposit Account No. 06-1135 to cover the required Processing Fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. \$1.17(I) and to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this matter.

Accompanying this Request are: (1) the Statement of Laura Huston; (2) a newly executed Declaration for the present application; and (3) the Statement of Assignee Cargill, Inc.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: 1/5/66

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### STATEMENT OF LAURA U. HUSTON UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(c) (2)

Commissioner of Parents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This declaration is being filed in support of the "PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 CFR §1.48(c) 2" in the above-identified patent application.

#### I, Laura U. Huston, declare:

- 1. I am an inventor on the above-identified patent application along with John D. Efstathiou.
  - The original patent application listed John D. Efstathiou as an inventor.
- 3. Amendments made to the claims of this application after filing necessitate adding me as an inventor in this application.

Application No. 10/684,074 Statement of Laura U. Huston

- 4. Any error in failing to name myself as an inventor in the above identified patent application was made without any deceptive intention on my part.
- 5. I believe that the correct joint inventors of the above identified patent are John D. Efstathiou and Laura U. Huston.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1002 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statement may jeopardize the validity of the application or any parent issued thereon.

Date: 11/06/05

By: Sauce U. Lluston

DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN Attorney Docket No.:

79568

PATENT APPLICATION

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Declaration Submitted With 1 First Named Inventor: Efstathiou et al.

Initial Filing

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Declaration Submitted After ) Initial Filing

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Examiner Name:

A. Weier

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Frozen Concentrated Liquid Whole Egg and Method of Making Same

(Title of Invention)

the specification of which:

- is attached hereto, or
- was filed by an authorized person on my behalf on October 10, 2003 as United States Application Number 10/684,074.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §1:19(a)-(d) or §365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or \$365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below, and I have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application, on this invention filed by me or my legal representatives or assigns and having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application Number(s)		Country	Foreign Filing Date	Priority Not Claimed
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Additional foreign application numbers are listed on a supplemental priority data sheet attached hereto.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

Provisional Application	Provisional Application
Number(s)	Filing Date

Additional provisional application numbers are listed on a supplemental priority data sheet attached hereto.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120, of any prior United States application(s), or under §365(c) of any PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT international application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known by me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56, which became available between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

		Filing Date	
	Prior PCT	of U.S. or PCT	
Prior U.S. <u>Application Number</u>	International Application Number	International Application	Patent Number (if applicable)

Additional U.S. or PCT international application numbers are listed on a supplemental priority data sheet attached hereto.

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the practitioners associated with Customer Number 22242, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, and request that all correspondence and telephone calls in respect to this application be directed to FITCH, EVEN, TABIN & FLANNERY, Suite 1600, 120 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60603-3406, Telephone No. (312) 577-7000, Facsimile No. (312) 577-7007, CUSTOMER NUMBER 22242.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made herein on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity or enforceability of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Full name of sole or one	
joint inventor:	John D. Efstathiou
	(Given names first, with Family name last)
Inventor's signature:	EN Effoliano
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	Plymouth, Minnesota 55441
Citizenship:	USA
Full name of one joint inventor:	Laura U. Huston
	(Given names first, with Family name last)
Inventor's signature:	Laura U. Guston
Date:	11/16/05
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### STATEMENT OF CARGILL INCORPORATED UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(c)(5)

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This declaration is being filed in support of the "PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 CFR §1.48(c) 5" in the above-identified patent application. The correction adds one person, Laura U. Huston, as a joint inventor with the originally named inventor John D. Efstathiou.

The above-identified patent application is assigned by agreement to the below named Assignee, Cargill, Incorporated. Cargill, Incorporated hereby assents to the addition of Laura U. Huston as a joint inventor.

Application No. 10/684,074 Statement of Cargill, Incorporated

The undersigned has authority to sign on behalf of the below named Assignee and hereby provides written consent of the below named Assignee to the Correction of Inventorship set forth in the above-mentioned Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.48(c) 5.

Cargill, Incorporated

By: 75 July
Title: Vice President